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Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
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Sir:

It is respectfully requested that the time for response to the Office Action dated January 30, 2004 be extended for a period of 5 months from February 29, 2004 to and including July 29, 2004.

The fee for this extension is estimated to be \$1,005.00 (small entity). Please charge the required fee to Jones Day Deposit Account No. 50-3013. A copy of this sheet is enclosed.

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Respectfully submitted,

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